

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent Application of:

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For: CUP PACKAGE MADE OF A FIBRE-
BASED MATERIAL

Examiner:

**LETTER REQUESTING ISSUANCE OF A CORRECTED OFFICE ACTION AND
RESTART OF THE PREVIOUSLY SET PERIOD FOR REPLY**

MS AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

On December 29, 2009, an Office Action issued in the matter of the instant application.

The Office Action dated December 29, 2009 states at page 2 thereof, as follows:

1. It is noted that the preliminary amendment filed in this application is improper insofar as the status identifier "previously presented" with respect to claims 1 and 2 is incorrect and the claims being submitted do not include underlining and strikethrough to show additions and deletions relative to the original filed claims. Claims 1 and 2 as set forth in the amendment were not received in any other amendment in the application. As such, examination has been made with respect to the originally filed claims.
(Emphasis added)

Claim Objections

2. Claims 4-13 are objected to under 37 C.F.R. 1.75(c) as being in improper form because a multiple dependent claim must refer back to the previous claims in the alternative only. See MPEP § 608.01(n). Accordingly, the claims 4-13 have not been further treated on the merits.
(Emphasis added)